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MODEL FOR AUTOIMMUNE DISEASE"

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### U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

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	AD	03/101485	12-11-2003	WIPO			
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### OTHER ART (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, etc.)

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AG	"Functional Analysis of Human Fc-gamma-RII (CD32) Isoforms Expressed in B Lymphocytes", Van Den Herik-Oudijk, Ingrid E. et al., Journal of Immunology, vol. 152, no. 2, 1994, pp. 574-585
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